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Eihab Suliman Optima University LLC 1774 Hwy 22 McKenzie, Tennessee 38201

National Board of Medical Examiners, et al. v. Optima University, LLC, et al. Re:

U.S. District Court for Western District No. 09-1043-JDB

Our File No.: 09226/66446-RER

Dear Mr. Suliman:

I have enclosed a copy of the Order that was entered by the United States District Court on October 16, 2009, in the case referenced above. The Order finds that you and Optima University have acted in contempt of Court and orders you to take certain actions.

Most immediately, you have been ordered to submit an affidavit to the Court and to the plaintiffs --"within five (5) days" -- which:

- 1. Provides a complete list of all USMLE-type questions in your custody or control, "whether in a paper or electronic format, and whether in original source form (e.g., videotapes or screen shots from live USMLE exams) or re-typed or otherwise reformatted." See Order ¶ (1)(a)(i)
- Identifies "the source and current physical location of all copies of all such materials (including the location of computer servers that host any such materials)." See Order ¶ (1)(a)(i)
- Provides all passwords and other information necessary to access those materials. See Order \P (1)(a)(i)
- 4. States whether any of your paper or electronic records have been "erased, destroyed, transferred or in any way altered" at any time after February 23, 2009; and, if so, "when,

- by whom, how and why," and "where, when, and [if records were transferred] to whom or to what location." See Order ¶ (1)(a)(ii)
- 5. Provides the names and last known address of all persons who have had access to the course materials used by Optima, including individuals who were customers of Optima and individuals who served as instructors at Optima. See Order ¶ (1)(a)(iii)

In addition, you have been ordered to pay a total of \$18,985 to our clients "within ten (10) days of this Order." See Order ¶¶ 5, 6 and 7.

We anticipate timely compliance with the Court's Order. Please send the required, executed affidavit to my attention at the address shown above, along with a check in the amount of \$18,985 made payable to the "National Board of Medical Examiners." If we do not receive the affidavit and check on a timely basis, we will promptly seek relief from the Court which may include a renewed request that you be placed in jail until you comply fully with the Court's orders.

Thank you very much. If you have any questions, please contact me immediately.

Regards,

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